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For Rent, within three blocks of the post office, a pleasant front room, with or without furniture; terms reasonable. Also board for four gentlemen. For information apply at this office.
March 13 dtf

The Cheapest Hamburg Embroideries ever yet Offered, just received by
LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 10 d&wtf

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FOR CASH!

SPRING AND SUMMER.

J. R. Race & Co.

Are in receipt of the Largest Stock of

Ready-Made Clothing!

Ever brought to Decatur, which they are prepared to sell at VERY LOW PRICES.

A Summer Coat for 50 Cts.

They do not profess to sell at less than cost, but will sell GOOD GOODS at as low prices as can be found anywhere.

BOYS' AND YOUTH'S CLOTHING

In endless variety; WHITE and FANCY SHIRTS at greatly reduced prices--20 to 25 per cent. cheaper than last year; FURNISHING GOODS of all kinds, and

HATS AND CAPS!

Cheaper than ever before known.

OUR MERCHANT TAILORING DEPARTMENT

Is stocked with the best of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings, Etc., which will be made up to order by the best workmen, and FITS GUARANTEED. Call and see us.

April 27, 1877—d&wtf

J. R. RACE & CO.

MERCHANT ST. 10 — MERCHANT ST 10

MILLINERY,

HATS, BONNETS, FLOWERS, RUCHES, ORNAMENTS, SILKS and RIBBONS,

DRY GOODS,

PRINTS, MULSINS, TICKINGS, JEANS, DRESS GOODS, BLACK SILKS and APALCAS, CHEAP, at

THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

MERCHANT ST. 10 — MERCHANT ST. 10

April 21, 1877—d&w 1mo

Blenz & Danzeisen,

BUTCHERS

—AND—

PACKERS.

A NEW STOCK OF

SMOKED AND CURED MEATS

WEST SIDE OLD SQUARE.

We have on hand a choice lot of

Sugar-Cured Hams, Shoulders, Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna Sausage, and Lard at wholesale and retail.

Fresh Meats

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock.
Hams Sliced, at 20 cents per pound—1 cent cuts.
Decatur, Feb. 24, 1877—dtf

REVOLUTION

—IN—

CHAIN PUMPS!

THE SUBSCRIBER WOULD RESPECTfully announce to the citizens of Decatur and Macon and adjoining counties, that he has secured the EXCLUSIVE RIGHT to

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MERRILL & BARTLETT'S

Water-Purifying

Rubber Bucket Chain Pump,

And is prepared to furnish said Chain Pumps on short notice.

The advantages of this Pump over many others are many. The Chain being buttonless, it is much lighter, consequently it is not liable to break, and works much easier. The RUBBER BUCKETS which are attached to the Chain will not wear the Tubing, consequently it will last longer than when Metal Buttons are used. It is, positively, ANTI-FREEZING. It is a positive WATER PURIFIER, as each Bucket is constructed with an AIR CHAMBER, which carries a given quantity of pure air into the water, which immediately diffuses through the entire body of water, purifying and cleaning, and rendering it fit for use.

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THAN EVER BEFORE.

Boots and Shoes.

We have just received the

Largest Stock

—OF—

BOOTS & SHOES

that ever came to this City, which we intend to Sell a Little Cheaper than any other House, as we buy strictly for CASH, and Defy Competition.

THESE FIGURES WILL TELL.

Men's Fine Calf Boots, from	$3 50 to $5 50
Men's Fine Calf Shoes, "	1 80 to 2 75
Men's Plow Shoes & Boots, from	2 00 to 2 75
Boys' Fine Calf Shoes, from	1 50 to 2 00
Women's Fine Kid, side lace, from	2.25 to 3 00
Women's Front Lace Kid,	2.00 to 2 50
Misses' Fine Kid, side lace,	1.90 to 2 25
Misses' Front Lace, from	1.50 to 2 00

ALL KINDS OF

CHILDREN'S SHOES,

CHEAP.

Also, a Large Stock of all kind of

SLIPPERS.

VERY LOW

Examine our stock before going elsewhere, as you will be deceived by others.

THE OLD STAND

No. 15 East Main-St.

W. F. BUSHER & CO.

March 16, 1877—d&wtf

OPIUM and Morphine habit absolutely and speedily cured. Painless no publicity. Send stamp for particulars. Dr. Carlton, 187 Washington st, Chicago, Ill.

$5 to $20 per day at home. Samples worth $1.00 free. STINSON & Co., Portland, Maine.
March 9, 1876--d&wly

POST OFFICE HOURS.

Office open at 7:30 A. M.; Closes at 7:30 P. M. Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.
Money Order and Registering office open from 7:30 a. m. to 6 p. m.

MAILS CLOSE

For	West and St. Louis	11 00 a. m
"	East and Chicago, T. W. & W	11 00 a. m
"	" on I. D. & S	1 00 p. m
"	Peoria via I. M. R. R	1 00 p. m
"	Monticello and Champaign	1 00 p. m
"	Terre Haute via I. M. R. R	2 00 p. m
"	Pekin and Peoria, P. L. & D	5 00 p. m
"	St. Louis—through	6 00 p. m
"	Chicago and Lafayette	7 15 p. m
"	South, I. C. R. R	7 15 p. m
"	North and East of Lafayette	7 15 p. m
"	Sullivan and Mattoon	8 45 a. m

MAILS ARRIVE

From	South and St. Louis	5 45 a. m
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R. P. LYTLE, Postmaster.
Decatur, Ill., Jan. 1, 1877.

THE PRINTER.

How little ye ken,
Ye women and men,
By courtesy styled "gentle readers,"
Of how much you owe
To the noble type
And his army of folders and feeders!

The poet may sing
Of his lyrical string,
Of his muses, his loves, and his graces;
But aid he'd sing small,
If he warbled at all,
Were it not for the chases and cases!

The writer of fiction,
Whose beautiful diction
Beguiles the long evenings of Winter,
His mind would be left
Like a casket bereft
Of its key—if not picked by the printer!

The annalist, too,
That brings to your view
The wonderful story of ages,
Would, sure, be as dumb
As a clam or a mummy, if nobody made up his pages!

Then whoso doth read,
I beg him take heed
To the lesson these stanzas convey him,
Viz: Now that you know
What a treasure you owe
To the printer, be certain—to pay him!

A NOBBY NEGRO.

Bishop Haven Meets a Genuine Colored Brother on the Coast of Liberia.

Letter From Africa to Zion's Herald.

"There's a kinoe!" shouted a Liberian passenger, as we came on deck from breakfast, last Friday morning. "A what?" "A kinoe." (Pronounce this with accent on first syllable.) "Where?" "Right over the lee bow." We looked, and there it was—a canoe, looking for all the world like a bat on the sea, its black wings rising on the edge of the wave before it, and on the edge of the wave behind, seeming astraddle of both waves, and only a little pair of wings, too; not more than half a dozen feet long, and in the twisting of the waves about the same width. This "kinoe" contained two men, who were paddling it down upon us with great rapidity, dipping their pan-like paddle now this side, now that, of the shooting shell. How tame appears college boating to a flying canoe! As it came nearer it pulls itself out and narrows itself down; so that it is all long and no wide, a thin, slim dug-out, 10 feet long by 15 inches wide and deep. It flies around to the sterboard side, and discloses in the bottom two men—one arrayed in a blue shirt and one arrayed in none. The blue shirted gentleman is the head krooman, coming out for a job. The one in none is his oarsman. He had gone out to fish, and seen through the haze, eight miles from shore, the welcome vessel, and had pulled for the bigger fish than any that swam under water. Up he leaps the ship's side, his whole dress of blue shirt and bagged trousers that come a little below the hips. He steps up on the quarter deck and salutes the captain. We look at him. True, his face is dark, but not disagreeable. His form is erect, slim, graceful. Through the middle of the forehead and the ridge of the nose a dark blue line a half an inch wide descends. Dark blue marks are at the outer end of the eyes. This is his kroo tattoo, the badge of his tribe, his proud honor. You look at those bare arms and legs, with a sculptor's admiration—slim, strong arms, slim, strong legs. No lark or spur heel here, which Livingstone says the west coast negroes have, but the east have not. His heels run as straight down the leg and ankle as a plumb. It is very neat. A French boot would fit it admirably, only it is handsomer than any Paris boot ever was. The krooman opens a tin cylindrical box hung about his neck, and pulls out a pile of certificates. The captain finds his own among them. He accepts his own recommendation, and Jim George for that is his name, is installed at the head of our long boat, from this place forth to the gaboon—a thousand miles below. Meantime his subman in the canoe is pulling out fish, and scooping out the boat, with his feet for paddles. He sits on his feet, which are turned up behind them in a very curious manner, and with these he kicks the water out of the boat with great dexterity.

German Class.—Miss Anna Holt will give lessons in German, in the room over Keeler's hat store, (formerly Esq. Hughes' office. For particulars enquire at the rooms as above, from five to seven and a half o'clock, in the evening.
March 17—d4m

All kinds of Upholstery work done right at Ashby's. apr27-d&wtt

GOLD! GOLD! GOLD!

(though hard to get and slippery to hold,) is the ONE THING NEEDFUL. Say, friend, have you got it? If not, you will find comfort and consolation by taking the Old Reliable Hannibal & St. Joseph R. R., *en route* to the SAN JUAN MINES of Colorado and New Mexico, or to the BLACK HILLS. Rich discoveries have recently been made in the above mining regions, showing that the DUST IS THERE, and free to all for the taking. The undersigned is prepared to furnish transportation for LARGE OR SMALL parties through to CUSTER CITY OR DEADWOOD, either via Omaha or Denver, at the lowest possible rates. For the Black Hills buy tickets only to Cheyenne, and *fit out* for the mines from there. For San Juan, ticket to Pueblo or El Moro.
For further information apply to
J. BECKWITH, Agent,
Or to T. PENFIELD, Quincy, Ill.
G. P. & T. A., Hannibal, Mo.
Feb. 28, 1877—dtf

John C. Mark, No. 9, East Main St., has a full line of new base balls, foot-balls, marbles, inkstands, paper weights, new style *papetries*, which he offers for sale at prices to suit the times.
March 28 dtf

500 Pairs Old Dominion Buck Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents—the best and cheapest in America. And as parties from *Decatur and Macon* are selling inferior gloves, which they falsely represent as the "Old Dominion Buck Gloves," we caution the public against the fraud, as we control the entire production, and *none* are genuine that are not stamped with the name of "Geo. H. Ott" on the inside.
Oct 17 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Everybody Goes to MILLER'S Restaurant. jan3-dtf

BLUE GLASS.

Genuine French Cobalt Blue Glass, all Sizes, at
LIDDLE'S.

VELOCIPEDES!

For the Boys. Best and Cheapest in Decatur, at
LIDDLE'S.

BABY CARRIAGES!

At LIDDLE'S.

If at the present, or at some future time, you intend to have a Baby Carriage, don't fail to look at the large assortment of Extra, Stylish, and low price ones,

At LIDDLE'S.

Beautiful Cut and Egraved Glass Table Ware,

At LIDDLE'S.

Make your Doors and Windows BURGLAR PROOF with the 25 CENT BURGLAR PROOF LOCK, at

LIDDLE'S.

March 2—d&wtf

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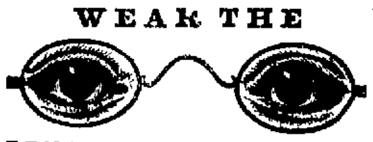


BRILLIANT SPECTACLES!

—AND—

EYE GLASSES.

They are the best in the market—they never tire the eye, and last many years without change. Manufactured by T. LAZARUS & Co., Hartford, Conn.

J. S. HAND & CO.,

Wholesale and retail dealers in BOOKS, MUSIC and STATIONERY, in Post Office Block, Decatur, Illinois, are the only Agents in this place.
Also Agents for the "LIGHT RUNNING DOMESTIC SEWING MACHINE."
Decatur, March 23, 1877—d&w6m

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
MACON COUNTY, }
In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1877.
Lowber Burrows vs. Samuel S. Carpenter, Ex'r, Mary Wright, Abigail Clark, Philo Smith, Ruth A. Hull, Susan Smith, Samuel Smith, Jane Coe, William T. Downs, Catherine Powers, Angeline Watkins, Nancy Pugsley, Lusannah C. Shea and John G. Shea—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Samuel S. Carpenter, Ex'r, Philo Smith, Ruth A. Hull, Susan Smith, Samuel Smith, Jane Coe, William T. Downs and Nancy Pugsley, above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to said non-resident defendants, that said complainant, Lowber Burrows, has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable at the court house, at the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday in May, A. D. 1877, which cause is now pending undetermined in said court.
E. McCLELLAN,
April 4, 1877—d4w Clerk of said Court.

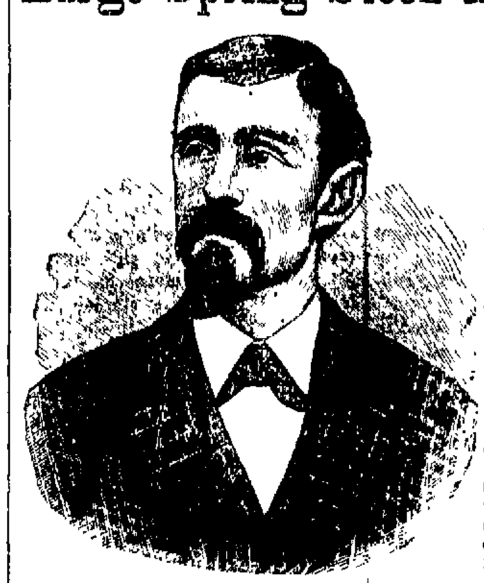
"Cheap Charley,"

Has Brought on the Crisis!

Has Knocked Out the Bottom!

—BY BRINGING HIS—

Large Spring Stock in the Market



At prices which have not only astonished our many customers, but also those who have served years in the clothing trade; and still it is so easy to be understood why our Goods are so much better and cheaper than is usually found in ready-made clothing stores. The reasons are simply this: That we have our own manufacturing Establishment in Chicago, and do not buy a single article ready made.—Thus we are enabled to

Retail at Wholesale Prices

All our Goods are made up of the best material in the market. We see the material out of which the clothing is cut, before they are made up, and therefore know them to be free from shoddy. This gives us another advantage over others who buy their goods ready made the best they can.

OUR GOODS ARE WHAT WE REPRESENT THEM TO BE.

For instance, our Flannel Suits we sell for less than they can be bought for elsewhere, and are made of the genuine Washington Regatta Cloth, as our customers will be convinced by the manufacturing ticket.

All our Goods are Warranted--One Price Only

And Goods exchanged or money refunded if not satisfactory.

All-Wool Business Suits from $8 Upward

Half cotton a great deal cheaper.

KAUFMANN & BACHRACH,

Corner E. Main and Water Sts., Decatur, Ill.

72 and 227 N. Clark St., Chicago.
May 1, 1877—d&wtf

CLOTHING BUYERS, ATTENTION

B. STINE,

THE CLOTHIER

Is receiving, in addition to his

Immense Stock of Spring Clothing

Daily Supplies of the most

Fashionable Outfits!

For Men's, Youths', Boys' and Children's wear, at prices to astonish the closest of buyers.

Our aim is to sell the best of Goods.

To sell them at their actual value to the consumer.

To have our customers do the blowing for us, instead of doing our own.

A well-made garment, perfect in fit, of durable material, and low in price, will speak for itself.

And we claim that we carry the

Finest Made Clothing

IN THE MARKET,

at lower prices than unprincipled clothiers will sell you their old style, ill-fitting, poorly trimmed and shoddy clothing at.

DON'T BE BULLDOZED!

By an Inferior Class of Goods. Examine before you buy. No misrepresentations. Fair and square dealing.

B. STINE,

THE CLOTHIER,

Central Block, Old Square, Decatur, Ills.
May 2, 1877—d1w wtf

SELLERS' LIVER PILLS
Sellers' Liver Pills have stood for Thirty years a Standard Remedy for the cure of Liver Complaint, Costiveness, Sick Headache, and all derangements of the Liver.
"Sellers' Vermifuge, the great Worm Destroyer," expelled 400 large, live worms from my child, 2 years old. Wm Sarver, St. Louis, Mo. Price each 25c. If your druggist don't keep them, send for them, R. E. SELLERS & CO. Prop's, Pittsburgh, Pa.
Sold by all Druggists.
Dec. 13, 1876—d&wly

RIBBONS Great Bargains—Only 15 and 20 cents—worth 25c to $1.00 per yard.
March 31 d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS.

Administratrix Notice

ESTATE OF JOHN ERISMAN, Deceased.
PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of John Erisman, dec'd, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of May, A. D. 1877, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., March 27, A. D. 1877.
JANE ERISMAN,
March 27—d6w Administratrix.

PROFESSIONAL.

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY,

Attorney and Counselor-at-Law.

Office over the Decatur National Bank. Special attention to matters in probate and chancery.
Decatur, Ill., April 9, 1877—d&wly

C. C. McCOMAS,

Attorney-at-Law Real Estate and Insurance Broker,

Will Buy, Sell and Rent on Commission all kinds of Real Estate, Western lands included.

LOANS NEGOTIATED.

Deeds, Mortgages and Contracts drawn. Substantial Life and Fire Insurance furnished. Prompt attention given to all law business. Office over Postoffice, Decatur, Illinois. oc3l—dtf

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DAWKINS & CUNNINGHAM,

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

OFFICE OVER RUCKER, HAMMER & CO.'S BANK. [dec8-wtf

A. ROBERTSON SMALL, M. D.

OFFICE—No. 8 E. Main street—Up-stairs.
RESIDENCE—No. 17 S. Union St., Decatur, Illinois.
Special attention given to Obstetrics and diseases of women and children.
OFFICE HOURS, } 2 to 4 p. m, 7 to 9 p. m,
March 28, 1877—wtf

MAXWELL & WALKER,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW AND NOTARIES Public. Deeds, mortgages and all kinds of contracts written. Loans negotiated at nine per cent. interest on farm property in Macon and adjoining counties. All wanting money call and see us. Office, one door east of the post-office, over Kern's store.
Sept. 16, 1876—d&wtf

DR. R. L. WALSTON

HAS resumed the general practice of medicine, and is now attending to all kinds of professional business day or night, in the city or country. Office as heretofore.
RESIDENCE—On North Main street, first door north of the Christian church.
Decatur, May 3, 1876—d&wtf

D. L. BUNN EDWIN PARK.

BUNN & PARK

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS

OFFICE—No. 11 East Main Street—Up stairs. April 7tdtf

JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery. FELIX B. TAIT, Notary Public.

BROWN & TAIT,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Office, 22 North Water street, over Fenton's Clothing store. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to.
July 11-d&wly.

P. B. Sparks, M. D.

HOMEOPATHIST,

Decatur, Illinois, over the Post Office.

All calls promptly responded to in the city or country, night or day. Residence, No. 40 West Wood street.
August 10, 1876—dtf

Dr. A. S. Waltz,

DENTIST, Decatur, Ill. Office, over Barber & Co's shoe store, East Main street.
RESIDENCE—No. 41 North Main street.
June 18, 1875—d3mos*

J. Stebbins King, M. D.,

FORMERLY resident physician St. John's Hotel for Invalids, Cincinnati, Ohio; late of United States Army; Surgeon in charge of Mississippi State Hospital, and general practitioner, Natchez, Miss.
OFFICE—In Post Office Block, entrance Reading Room stairs, Decatur, Illinois.
Residence, No. 40 North Main street.
Jan. 17, 1876—d&wtf

T. S. HOSKINS,

DENTIST!

Offers his professional services to the people of Decatur and vicinity. Work guaranteed of the best quality.
OFFICE—Over Hieldman's grocery store, merchant street, Decatur, Ill.
May 28, 1875-d&wtf.

HARVEY PASCO,

ATTORNEY AT LAW AND NOTARY Public, Solicitor of Collections, Bankruptcy and War Claims. Office, over Busher's shoe store, E. Main street, Decatur, Ill.
Special attention given to Bankruptcy and general collecting business.
June 1, 1875—d&wtf.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY AT LAW.—Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Ill.
April 13, 1879-dwtf.

A. BROWER BUNN,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELOR AT LAW. Office in Central Block, over Wingate's lampstore, Merchant street.
August 8, 1875—dtf

B. I. STERRETT,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW.

OFFICE—Southeast cor. of the old square, in the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's drug store. June 1-d&wly

E. S. ELDRIDGE, J. C. HOSTETLER

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER,

ATTORNEYS at LAW

OFFICE:—Over Newell & Hammer's grocery store. [July 8, 1874-dly

W. T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW and GENERAL COLLECTING AGENT. Office—Room 5, Powers' Block. *Prompt attention to business.*

MRS. DR. HENKLE,

ECLECTIC PHYSICIAN!

ANNOUNCES to her patrons her return from Cincinnati, legally sustained to treat all classes of disease. With many thanks for past patronage, still offers her professional services to the afflicted, at her residence corner of E. Webster and Johns streets.
N. B. Obstetrics a Specialty.
Office hours, 9 a. m. to 4 p. m.
Jan. 3, 1877—d1m w6mos

Administrator's Notice

Estate of IRENE BRANSTETTER, *deceased.*

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to all persons having claims and demands against the estate of Irene Branstetter, deceased, to present the same for adjudication and settlement at a regular term of the County Court of Macon county, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the third Monday of June, A. D. 1877, being the first day of said term.
Decatur, Ill., April 17th, A. D. 1877.
F. L. WOOD, Administrator.
April 18-d6w

Revolvers 7-shot $2 50, 70 kinds. Guns & Rifles $8 to $500. Monster Ill. Cat. for 3-ct. stamp. WESTERN GUN WORKS, Chicago, Ill.

The Daily Republican.

HAMSHER & MOSSER,
B. K. HAMSHER, I. N. MOSSER, } Publishers.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS:

Saturday Evening, May 5.

BEECHER ON HAYES

Youngstown (O.) Register and Tribune.

We seized a few minutes yesterday, before Mr. Beecher began his lecture, to ask him what he thought of Hayes and his policy. He was not reluctant to talk on the subject, and expresed himself in language of the strongest commendation of the President and the course he was pursuing. "Why," said Mr. Beecher, "he couldn't do anything else. The policy of force has done its *perfect work*, separated the South largely into political parties by color distinctions. Such a state of affairs was most deplorable, and could not be continued without bringing not only on the industries of the Southern States, but upon the best interests of the blacks, untold mischiefs. The course hitherto pursued had wrought antagonism between classes and races and parties to the highest tension, and a break was inevitable—a break which was either to have resulted in anarchy, military despotism, or the domination of the only class capable of governing. So far as the Republican party is concerned, all hopes of carrying any one of the Southern States by the old methods of national interference were irretrievably gone, and Hayes is doing the only thing possible for the good of his party, as well as of the country."

"Another thing, too," said Mr. Beecher, "his administration is sure to be immensely popular. The good times that are *coming, and they surely are* coming, will be set down to the policy of pacification. Sometimes, undoubtedly, business influences and considerations are too strong and controlling in politics, especially when some great principles are involved that demand *the sacrifice of material interests* for a moral good; but after all they are potent and will assert themselves in favor of Hayes in the prosperous era just dawning." He concluded his observations by saying that if Blaine and those follows make a fight on the President they will break up the Republican party, and a new party will be formed of the more advanced Democrats and the more conservative Republicans.

PARSON BROWNLOW ON HIMSELF.

From an Autobiographical Sketch in 1862.

I have been a laboring man all my life long, and have acted upon the scriptural maxim of eating my bread in the sweat of my brow. Though a Southern man in feeling and principle, I do not *think it degrading for a man to labor*, and look forward to a day not far distant when educated labor will be the salvation of this vast country. I am known throughout the land as the "Fighting Parson," while I may say, without incurring the charge of egotism, that no man is more peaceable. Always poor, and always oppressed by security debts, few men of my limited means, have given more for charitable objects. I never played a card, I never was a profane swearer, I never drank a dram of liquor, until within a few years, when it was taken as a medicine. I never had a cigar or a chew of tobacco in my mouth. I never attended a theater. I never attended a horse race. I never courted but one woman, and her I married. I am six foot high and have weighed as high as 175 pounds—have always had a fine constitution. I have had as strong a voice as any man in east Tennessee, where I have resided for the last thirty years, and have a family of seven children.

COL. JACK WHARTON, who, as we are touchingly informed, "made a magnificent fighting record during the war" as "Calonel of a confederate regiment," and is now "a republican of the Warmoth school," it is announced is to be made United States Marshal of the District of Louisiana.

JOEL JOHNSON, Esq., proprietor of the Revere House, Springfield, died suddenly yesterday. He was driving in his buggy, and, without any premonition, dropped dead. Mr. Johnson was widely known as a hotel man, having been in that business at Springfield for over forty years. He built the present Chenery House, and afterwards the Revere. He was 71 years old.

GEN. CORSE, of "Hold the Fort" fame, is an applicant for the doorkeepership of the next house of representatives. Should he get the place, every man of that hundred thousand whom he wanted to march to Washington to inaugurate Tilden will want to be a deputy.

Madame Foy's Skirt-supporting Corsets; Moody's Abdominal Corsets, and Bortree's Adjustable Duplex Corsets, *very cheap*, at
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IT is feared that when Count Shovaloff, General Skewpemup, Duke Cutmeoffsky and Generals Nokkemdownivitch and Dragemoutoski get fairly at work, there will not be enough left of poor Turkey for another Thanksgiving. *Alton Telegraph.*

CHICAGO, May 4.—Chicagos 1 run, unearned; Syracuse Stars, nothing.

WHAT RUSSIA WANTS.

The Able American Consul to Roumania sheds Light.

Russia Seeks Constantinople—No Turkish Subjects Have Asked Protection—Roumania not Friendly To Aleck Beyond the Nobles—England, Germany France and Austria Must be Involved.

Washington Correspondence N. Y. Herald.

Mr. Benjamin F. Peixotto, the distinguished American consul in Roumania, is now in Washington, and has granted an interview on the subject of the war.

Correspondent—I called to ask your opinion of the war in Europe, the meaning, rather, of Russia's declaration of war against Turkey?

Mr. Peixotto—It means conquest. *From the first to the last* Russia has never had but one object in view. Ever since Sebastopol she has brooded over this, until, frenzied with her own brilliant achievements since that day, which have penetrated the Caucassus, gone beyond the Caspian, conquered Khiva and Bokhara with their silk and cotton, she now believes the moment rife to seize the idol of her ambition, and make Constantinople the mistress of the Eastern world.

Cor—But she disclaims all such intentions. It is a holy war for the long suffering Christians of Turkey for whom she draws the sword.

Mr. P.—Don't be deceived. Leave sentiment to women or fanatics. Meet the real issue honestly. Let there be no disguise. Who has invoked this bloody intercession of the Czar—the subjects of the Sultan? No! Neither the Roumanian, Bulgarian, Servian, nor the Bosnian, Herzegovinan—not one of all the divers races making up the population of the Ottoman Empire.

Cor.—But these races are kindred in religion, and desire a change of masters

Mr. P.—Only apparently in religion; in point of fact they regard the Czar as *a schismatic*, and as *to preferring* his rule to that of the Sultan, believe me that is the wildest chimera.

Cor.—Why so?

Mr. P.—Because the sway of the Sultan over his subjects is mild and humane compared with that of Russia *over hers.*

Cor.—How do you make that out?

Mr. P.—No Christian or Jew in all Turkey is compelled to be a soldier and fight the battles of the Sultan. In Russia, every man, nay, every stripling must be and is molded to be an instrument of death, a sacrificial lamb upon the altar of unhallowed lust and o'erleaping ambition.

Cor.—Are not the Roumanians with Russia in the struggle?

Mr. P.—Beyond a few ambitious nobles, no! The advance of the Russian hosts is the death knell of Roumania's hopes of autonomy. The 5,000,000 people of that principality ceased to exist yesterday as a separate state and na*tionality if the banners of the Czar are* planted on the Bosphorus.

Cor.—What facilities does Roumania afford?

Mr. P.—As a base of operations for the Czar, the best. Railways and telegraph now permeate the country. The soil is rich and productive. Owing to the nondemand for exportation for two years, the amount of wheat and corn collected is very large. If Russia could pay gold her coming would be a Gods send to the poverty stricken peasantry; but she cannot. The circulation of her silver has for years been abolished by Roumanian law; but even this coin she has not got to pay with, and her paper money will not be worth forty cents *on the dollar*, if that, before the war is sixty days old. It is simply worthless to the peasant to day, as the merchants will not take it.

Cor.—Where will be the scene of war?

Mr. P.—The Balkan and Carpathian *Mountains—the two chains enclosing* Bulgaria and Roumania—form a grand amphitheater, where successive hordes of barbarians first appeared upon the stage of Europe to open the ever changing scenes in her history. It was on the plains of the lower Danube that the legions of Cyrus melted away like snow, beneath the arrows of the Scythians; there Alexander the Great fought the barbarians of the North; there millions of men perished in the early wars of the Christians and Turks; and on that terrain, in the oracular language of the great Napoleon, "the destiny of Europe is yet to be determined."

Cor.—Will Russia have trouble in crossing the Danube?

Mr. P.—Not half as much as was anticipated by the newspapers. I inspected last summer the fortresses from Belgrade and Widdin to Tutscha and Sulina. None were formidable then, I may truly say in May last of no account except from their natural positions. If these have been put in a perfect state during the winter they could be rendered impregnable. But I doubt if this has been done; and even if so, there are a hundred landings for the Russian troops; Roumania has nearly 400 miles bordering on the Danube. But if the Muscovites *effect* a crossing they have yet the Balkans before them, and these the Turks will and can defend to the last man.

Cor.—You think the Turks will fight well?

Mr. P—With desperation and confidence. Never before were they more terribly in earnest to defend their homes and firesides. It will be the most terrible war of the age. Russia builds her hopes upon the rising of the Bulgarians, of whom there are 8,000,000, but unless the Turks suffer great reverses in the opening battles the Bulgarians will never rise in behalf of the Russians.

Cor—What is the general sentiment of the Bulgarians?

Mr. P.—If not hostile, certainly not favorable to the Russians. They, like the Roumanians, are an agricultural people, love peace, hate war; remember but too vividly the former iron tread of the Cossack, the desolation so often spread by the fierce and brutal invader. Never have all the reported Turkish massacres combined for five hundred years been equal to the horror accumulated in any one war waged by Russia on their soil against their sovereign lord. Five years ago they murmured against the Sultan because of the rule *of the Greek Patriarch of* Athens over their ecclesiastical dioceses. Midhat Pasha's wise counsel was remembered by the Porte, who forever terminated that galling rule and gave them their own Exarch, with his seat at Constantinople. From that day there have been no more bloody encounters between Bulgarian and Greek Catholics at their church doors, so often the scene of frightful massacre. Gratitude has filled the heart of the Sultan's Bulgarian subjects, and Russia will feel the consequence of it now.

Cor.—You believe all Europe will be involved?

Mr. P.—It is inevitable the moment the mask is torn away, and the veil so long before their eyes given to the winds. I mean the great powers—England, Germany, Austria, France and Italy. All Europe hears to-day the words of Hamid as he draws his sword: "Exposed to hostile suggestions, to unlimited suspicion, and to violations of international law, Turkey fee's she is now contending for her existence. Strong in the justice of her cause and trusting in God, she is determined to ignore what has been decided without her and against her, and resolved to retain in the world the *place which Providence has destined* for her." These are ringing words, even in our language; in the Turkish they will rouse the Moslem to frenzy. Before his vision the memory of the past will rise like a dream. We shall see the Turk of Haroun-al-Raschid's day, the swift warrior of Saladin's peerless hosts, and from heaven to their excited imagination Mohammed will again descend to lead them on to victory.

Cor.—Who of the powers will be the first to interpose?

Mr. P.—Austria first, but hardly sooner than England.

Cor.—And against—

Mr. P.—Against Russia.

Cor.—And Germany?

Mr. P.—Will hang off as long as possible, but before midsummer be deeply in the conflict.

Cor.—For whom?

Mr. P.—I scarcely dare to venture an opinion. Much depends—and yet I do not believe for Russia.

Cor.—If she should so decide, what then?

Mr. P.—The legions of France will cross the Rhine, the Italians come up to join the French. Catholic Austria, Italy and France, the latter supplemented by Spain, with England, make common cause against Germany and Russia. The old song will come back again:

By the Danube and the Dneiper
Will the Cossack warrior sleep;
By the Volga and the Don
Will the Cossack mother weep.

There will be sobs, too, on the Severn
And wailing on the Thames;
And Europe will a picture be
Of blood, and tears, and flames.

NEW YORK, May 4.—Rev. A. J. Donnelly, pastor of St. Nicholas church gave a dinner yesterday in honor of the election to the Episcopacy of Bishop Spaulding, his former co laborer. All the pastors and high dignitaries of the church in this city and neighborhood were present.

The custom house investigating committee held a short secret session today. At the open meeting John Jay read a letter from Samuel Welch & Co. of Boston, addressed to the Secretary of the Treasury, asking him to direct the custom house committee to inquire why the bills of sale of vessel property that have been registered at home ports should be compelled to pay the fee over again there, which is not required at any other custom house? Also, why clerks should be allowed to receive fees for furnishing prompt returns of cargo landed at that city? Deputy Collector Wyncopp stated that no such fees were required except where the registration takes place on account of the ownership of the vessel changing, or where her marine documents were changed.

CAMP ROBINSON, Neb., May 4.—A courier just in, brings a letter from the Red Cloud party, which will reach this point early on Sunday morning. Its camp, to-night, is only twenty miles north of this post. Forty-seven lodges have gone into the cantonment, on the Yellowstone, to surrender to General Miles.

TRENTON, N. J., May 4.—The Presbytery to-day unanimously sustained the charges of heresy against Rev. John Miller, and he was suspended from the ministry of the Presbyterian Church until such time as he will make manifest to the satisfaction of the Presbytery his renunciation of the errors he holds and his solemn purpose no longer to promulgate them. Mr. Miller said it was simply a moral, intellectual impossibility for him to renounce his views, and gave notice of appeal to the Synod.

LONDON, May 4.—A telegram from Athens reports that through some misunderstanding a conflict occurred on the frontier of Epirus between Greek troops and a Turkish detachment which had crossed the frontier in pursuit of brigands. An extraordinary session of the Greek assembly has been convoked for May 28.

A special from Burcharest says the Turkish monitor has been firing on batteries below Reni since 11 o'clock this morning. The point of attack is probably Isaktchi, or Isakiah, Reni and Tulschi, where Russians are constructing a bridge.

TELEGRAPHIC.

THE EASTERN WAR

VICTORY OF THE TURKS AT KARS.

Washington Warbles.

Postponement of the Extra Session.

It will Convene October 15th

BUT THIS HAS NO POLITICAL SIGNIFICANCE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., May 4.—The President and Cabinet decided this afternoon not to convene Congress in session till October 15. The postponement is so sudden as to occasion great surprise. The proclamation, in fact, had been drawn up *for signature for* June 4. The opponents of the administration are attributing the delay to political motives in avoiding a session just as the Southern question was settled, but the fact is that it was learned that the army would be without two months' pay *if the session is deferred* till October, and the President deemed it best for the business interests of the country to put off the session as long as possible. The army will be paid to July 1, and according to usage is paid every two months. The non-payment, or the first one in the fiscal year, is not therefore due till September 1. If the October session votes an appropriation promptly there will be less than two months' delay. The President, in conversation to-day, said that if Congress had been called next month, he had intended to recommend increased appropriations for completing the public buildings, in the interest of the mechanics and laborers of the country. There are some seventy of these buildings under way, and he believes it to be true economy to spend money enough to complete them in two years or so, rather than spread an appropriation over four or five years. He will undoubtedly recommend this at the October session. Secretary Tompson had a report nearly prepared, which he expected to submit to Congress next month, asking for an increase of appropriations for completing League Island Navy-yard and building several vessels. He finds little or no money to the credit of the Bureaus for the remaining time of this fiscal year, and but limited appropriations after July 1. He was very much opposed to postponing the session.

The President, in conversation with Alex. M'Clure, of Philadelphia, to-day said that he believed the Southern policy had strengthened the Republican party, and would continue to strengthen it. He said he intended to go ahead and manage his administration for the good of the whole country. M'Clure asked him if he meant to carry out the reform policy everywhere. The President answered: "I most assuredly shall carry out that policy. I do not propose to use my Administration in the interest of any man or any set of politicians." He saw no reason why one man should be turned out and another put in, all other things being equal. Associate Justice Miller called at the Attorney General's Office this morning to inquire whether everything was in readiness for him to hold the circuit court in Colorado. The reply was in the affirmative, and he will shortly go there. An office-seeker presented an application for office to Secretary Schurz to-day, written in four languages—English, French, German and Latin.

CONSTANTINOPLE, May 4.—The press law of 1865 has been suspended, and newspapers are placed under administrative control.

The Chamber of Deputies are discussing a ministerial bill for proclaiming a state of siege here.

The porte notified representatives of the powers yesterday that it had declared a blockade of the whole of the Russian coast of the Black Sea. A delay of three days would be granted vessels wishing to enter, and five days for those intending to leave the Black Sea.

A dispatch from Moukhtar Pasha, April 30, announces the Russians as having advanced in great force toward Kars in a westerly direction, with the object of intercepting Turkish communication with Erzeroum. The Turkish commander, leaving sufficient force at Kars, marched out with nine battalions and occupied the village of Ichilakli, near Yarden.

A subsequent telegram *from* Moukhtar Pasha, dated May 1, announces that the inhabitants of Kars brought him reports that the Russians had attacked Kars, but were repulsed with loss.

According to a telegram from the Turkish commander at Batoum, Russian military operations were arrested by rainy weather.

CHICAGO, May 5.—The 7th Cavalry, with 1,000 members, have left Fort Lincoln, and gone in search of Sitting Bull, who is supposed to be north or south of the Yellowstone, with some 500 recalcitrant warriors. The command will hunt him down, and bring in the hostiles, when found, to the agencies.

POETRY.

Why a "Nature Loving Tramp" should feel called upon to reply to my note in the REPUBLICAN, is past finding out.—Having great sympathy for a much-abused class of citizens, I naturally called public notice to a newly-discovered merit common to them. That they should administer to the æsthetical part of our nature, giving us food for ideal and emotional instinct without acknowledgment, induced me to call special notice to their claims. The writer has my earnest gratitude for his good wishes—long may he court the muses. Tramps see more of nature in its simplicity, leisurely perambulating *woods and fields*, and mountain heights—landscapes full of life and loveliness, as changeable and as beautiful as the views of the kaleidoscope are ever before them. The song of birds, the bleating of lambs, lowing of the herd and sighing of the wind, are sounds constantly heard, while at evening, when stretched on the green sward, the distant baying of the watch-dog, with the murmuring rivulet near him, must awaken the soul of poesy however long it has slept.—Everything that feeds fancy, or tends to make the rugged paths of nature even, are ever with him. How unjust in the writer to hint at, even remotely, the similarity of some of their language to the immortal Gray. Are not all poets inspired? If so, will not their minds be filled with the same objects, and the language of inspiration will always be similar; and if identical, should it be surprising? POETASTER.

The Illinois Midland O. K.—For several days past the Illinois Midland Railway has been having trouble about getting into Peoria. The last six miles is made over the T., P. & W. track, and there was a difficulty about the use of the same. For several days they were shut out of the city by the T., P. & W. tearing up the frog. Then arrangements were made to run trains in over the C. P. & S. W. and P. & S. Roads. As the former is running trains over a section of the T., P. & W. road, the managers of that line soon checkmated the Midland by giving the C. P. & S. W. to understand that they would be estopped from running their trains over the T., P. & W. track unless the new arrangement was broken off. This was done, and again the Midland was shut out.—In this dilemma they were obliged to do something, so the matter was fixed up with the T., P. & W. company. Part of the indebtedness was paid, and the remainder satisfactorily secured. The Midland trains are once more arriving and departing from the T., P. & W. depot.—*Peoria Transcript, 5th.*

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ALFRED CULP vs. WILLIAM H. PRATHER.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the said William H. Prather that a writ of attachment issued out of the Circuit Court, dated the 23d day of April, A. D. 1877, at the suit of Alfred Culp, and against the estate of said William H. Prather for the sum of one hundred and twenty-two dollars and forty-nine cents, directed to the Sheriff of Macon county, which said writ has been returned executed

Now, therefore, unless you, the said William H. Prather, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of said Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1877, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of said Alfred Culp.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
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..For sugar-cured ham of superior quality go to Niedermyer's, near the mound.

.When a man is good for nothing else he is qualified, according to law, to sit on a jury.

..For the sake of having things properly mixed ministers usually preach dry sermons on wet Sundays.

..Newell & Hammer have a full supply of the "Fast Mail" fine cut tobacco that people like so well.

...Bendure & Co. are prepared to fill all orders for groceries and provisions, and deliver goods in any part of the city without extra charge. Try some of those choice varieties of tea and coffee they are selling.

..D. M. Barnett makes a specialty of choice dairy butter, and at the same time keeps a very full and select stock of groceries. People will find this a very desirable place to trade.

..Between two evils choose neither, but take the good.

..While it is true that "time flies," it is equally true that "fly time" is coming.

..An exchange calls the bad weather of the last ten days a "meteorological unpleasantness" and says that until it freezes "robins will take a back seat;" and the "silver-toned damsel" who gladdens the heart of the young clerk when shopping, will "retire to seclusion and do crocheting."

...The tramp nuisance has very sensibly abated within the last week or two, and it is only occasionally that they present themselves as objects of charity.—This is no doubt owing largely to the policy of making them work out their fines. Everybody will rejoice at this respite from an annoyance that was assuming immense proportions, and will thank the city council and the mayor for their decisive action in the matter.

..Mr. A. W. Palmer, Justice elect, has fitted up a very neat and cosy office in Powers' Block, in the room next west of Wood & Montgomery's office, where he will commence business on Monday next.

..Dr. I. B. Curtis has got his office in apple pie order for the opening of his new business on Monday next. Hereafter either law or medicine will be administered in a just and equitable manner. The Doctor has a very nice desk, and other articles of furniture to correspond, and has as pleasant an office as any man need to have.

..We call attention to the advertisement of McEvoy's Hibernicon, which appears in our columns to-day. Remember the date of the exhibition, Friday and Saturday evenings, May 11th and 12th. This popular company has considerably increased its numbers since its last visit to this city, having now sixteen people. It also gives an entertainment embracing a much greater variety than then. As now made up, and with its present programme, it gives one of the most attractive entertainments on the road. We shall look for crowded houses.

More Joy.—A dentist has been described as the most doleful of men, because he is always looking "down in the mouth." Now, however this may be in a general way, it does not apply to our jolly friend Dawkins, who is as smiling and happy as a girl with her first beau. To tell the reason in brief we need only say—its a girl, whose birth-day will be duly celebrated on each recurring 4th of May.

Seats and Chairs for garden or porch, for sale at R. ASHBY'S.
May 5-d1w

Farmers' Restaurant.—Messrs. Edds & Graves have purchased Milam's bakery and restaurant, in the southeast corner of the old square, and will continue the business as heretofore, making first-class bread and furnishing choice meals to order.

SINGE MANN'S REACTIONARY HEALTH-LIFT was started many once prosperous undertakers have failed miserably, and have gone to the poor-house via the bankrupt court. Real estate, at the cemeteries, has depreciated over sixty-five per cent. Life insurance is cheaper by a third. Invalids should make a note of this and secure a LIFT.

Loan Association.—The annual meeting of the People's Homestead, Savings and Loan Association will be held at the court house, Monday evening, May 7th, 1877, for the purpose of electing directors and officers.

D. C. SHOCKLEY, President.
O. B. GORIN, Sec'y.
May 5—d2d

For Sale.—A good frame dwelling with seven rooms, eight closets and pantries, cellar, well, cistern and other improvements. Lot 100 by 150 feet, well filled with bearing fruit trees and vines. Apply at this office. oc23-dtf

Madame De Silver, the clairvoyant and great fortune teller of the West is at Priest's hotel. Call soon. Fee from 50 cents to $1.00. [may3-d1w wl

A GENUINE SURPRISE.

About a week ago Mrs. H. M. Oberndorfer, now of Milwaukee, but formerly of this city, came to Iowa on a visit to her parents, Justice Albert and wife. Soon after her arrival, Mrs. Prof. Goodman and a few other friends took it into their heads to give Mrs. O a bit of a surprise, and fixed upon last evening as the time for carrying their purpose into effect. Invitations were accordingly circulated among the friends of the family, to the number of about sixty persons, all of whom were requested to report, with well filled baskets, at the residence of Prof. Goodman, on West Eldorado street, from which place the company would proceed in a body to the residence of Esq. Albert, on South Main street, where the lady to be surprised was stopping. All hands rallied at the place named for rendezvous, and at about eight o'clock took up their line of march for the scene of the evening's festivities.

In order to have the lady at home, Mr. and Mrs. Albert were advised of the raid that was to be made upon their quiet dwelling, but matters were so adroitly managed that Mrs. O. had suspected nothing, and her surprise may well be imagined when the doors of her father's house were thrown open, and the crowd rushed in tendering to her their hearty congratulations.

After the momentary excitement, occasioned by the sudden advent of so many people, the pleasant hostess was perfectly at home, and proceeded to entertain her guests in the most agreeable manner.

The evening was spent in social games and pleasant chat, and the hours sped merrily away. At a proper time the well-filled baskets were brought to the front, and their contents spread upon the tables prepared for the occasion, and a more tempting repast seldom tempts one's appetite than these tables displayed, and so abundant was the supply that after all had eaten, seven baskets full remained.

At a reasonable hour the happy company separated, with most pleasant recollections of the festivities of the evening. The REPUBLICAN office was remembered with a generous supply of excellent cake.

The Opening of North street.—We understand that a petition is being circulated for the signatures of the residents and property owners on North street, in which the council is asked to open said street across the Illinois Central railroad and through the lands of B. H. Cassell. This is a move in the right direction. For a half mile east of the Ill. Central railroad, North street is thickly settled, and all of its residents are compelled to go out of their way to get up to the square. We understand that Mr. Cassell offers to donate the land, or very nearly so; and now that Eldorado street is to be graveled, is the time to make the fill at the North street railroad crossing. The business interests of our city are also injured, from the fact that when the Eldorado street crossing is blocked with cars, the only way to get across the Central, is to drive south as far the furniture factory, when the public could get across at North street in half the time. This street is one of the most central in the city, and its opening would much improve the appearance of the east side of the city; and as the expense will be very slight the city would be compensated in the extra taxation received on the new improvements which would rapidly be made in that quarter if the street was opened. Let the council see to it that this much-needed improvement is at once ordered.

Another Beautiful Work of Art.—Not long since reference was made in our columns to a beautiful likeness of little Johnny Shellabarger, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shellabarger, who died a short time before. This morning we were shown the companion piece of this beautiful work of art, it being an exceedingly fine life-size likeness of little Edna, the sister of Johnny, executed by the same artist, Prof. Gruelle. Edna was six years old at the time of her death, and the portrait was painted from a photograph taken a year earlier, and is as true to life as it could have been had it been executed by personal sittings of the original. The countenance, which is an exceedingly intelligent one, is delineated with such fidelity that it seems as if the child is about to speak as you stand before it. The body is taken in a reclining posture of faultless ease and grace; and the drapery, in its arrangement and coloring, is perfection. Both of these portraits are now at the reception room of Mr. Seibird, on Merchant street, where they may be seen for a short time, and no one who can appreciate a fine painting should fail to see them. In their execution Professor Gruelle has shown himself to be an artist of no common merit, and those who may wish likenesses of themselves or families, will do well to consult him.

Men's fine Calf Boots, from $3 to $5, at Barber & Baker's.
March 22 d&w1w

Home-Made Candy, fresh, at Wood's Candy Factory, 22 Merchant street.
May 2—dtf

Wanted—Two good cabinet makers. Apply to CHAS. H. BERGER,
26 Merchant street,
May 3 d6* Over Post's jewelry store.

All the latest styles of men's fine shoes (sewed shoes) at
May 3—d&w1w BARBER & BAKER'S.

Remember, S. Einstein is [still] selling his best prints 16 yards for $1.00.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

A very pleasant gathering of the family and friends of Samuel Sanner Esq., of Shelby county, was held at his residence near Prairie Home, on the 26th inst. That day was the 50th anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Sanner. In 1833 they moved from Northumberland county, Penn., to Madison county, this state. In 1866 the family removed to Shelby county, where Mr. Sanner owns an extensive property, and of which he is a prominent citizen.

The golden wedding was celebrated by a large assemblage. The children were all present, consisting of seven—six sons and one daughter; the grandchildren were numerous, and many friends from the surrounding towns were present, to the great surprise and gratification of the old lady and gentleman. After the parents were decoyed to the dinner table, and while they were enjoying the company of their friends in that pleasant manner, the children had quietly transported into another room a large number of beautiful presents, and had arranged them as a complete surprise.

After dinner the company repaired to the room, and after a few appropriate remarks by the Rev. Wm. Murphey, of Moawequa, the gifts were presented with comments suited to the occasion by that gentleman, and Mr. E. B. Pratt, of Decatur. Brief addresses were then made by Rev. A. B. Frazier, E. B. Pratt, E. W. Doyle and R. E. Baird, Esq., after which the more formal exercises were closed.

The presents were valuable and very beautiful, consisting of easy chairs, finely upholstered, gold rings, napkin rings, gold spectacles and gold-headed cane, for Mr. Sanner, a service of plate of several pieces, silver spoons, knives and forks, and a variety of other articles.

The occasion was one of very great interest and pleasure, and was enjoyed by those present. It was a complete surprise, and must have been a very happy one to Mr. and Mrs. Sanner.

THE CHURCHES TO-MORROW.

EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Services will be conducted by the rector, Rev. Stephen H. Granberry, both morning and evening. Seats in this church are free, and the public is cordially invited.

BAPTIST CHURCH

The pastor, Rev. W. G. Inman, will officiate. The public is invited, and the seats are free. Sunday school in the morning at 9 o'clock, under the direction of Mr. O. N. Bramble, the Sup't.

U. B. CHURCH.

Rev. George W. Stratton, of Hagerstown, Md., will preach at this church to-morrow, morning and evening.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

The pastor will preach to-morow at the usual hours. Sunday School at 2 P. M., Wm. L. Hammer, superintendent.

ROLLING MILL CHAPEL.

Sunday School at the Rolling Mill Chapel at half past 3 in the afternoon. All are cordially invited.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Services at the usual hours, the pastor, Rev. W. H. Prestly, officiating. Seats are free and the public cordially invited.

FIRST M. E. CHURCH,

Bishop Bowman is to fill the pulpit at this church to-morrow. All are invited.

STAPP'S CHAPEL.

There will be no services in the morning. The congregation will worship with the congregation of the First M. E. Church. Services in the evening as usual.

THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS.

Report of attendance in the public schools of Decatur, Illinois, for the four weeks ending April 27, 1877:

Whole number enrolled	1,564
Average number belonging	1,408
Average daily attendance	1,318
Average per cent. of attendance	93.7
Total number of tardinesses	202
Number of pupils neither absent nor tardy during the month	621

Report of attendance in the High School for the month ending April 27, 1877:

Whole number enrolled	167
Average number belonging	156
Average daily attendance	156
Per cent. of attendance	93.7
Total number of tardinesses	13
Number neither absent nor tardy	97

The following pupils were tardy during the month:

Dessie Bowers, Nellie Durfee, Lula Sellars, Nellie Sellars, Mary Williams, Wm. Barnes, Douglas Corneau 2, Wm. Gray 2, Wm. Kramer, Isaac Martin and Fred. Walters.

E. A. GASTMAN, Sup't.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Gen. J. H. Moore reached home last evening from a trip to northwestern Iowa.

S Einstein is offering special inducements in dry goods, notions, etc. Call and see him. [May 2 d1w

Have You a Cough?

That dry, hacking cough is the herald of approaching consumption. To check the swift progress of the destroyer, prompt and decisive measures must be resorted to. A dose of Dr. Morris' Syrup of Tar Wild Cherry and Horehound, taken when the coughing spells come on, will afford immediate relief, and eventually effect a thorough cure. It will be found equally beneficial in all forms of throat and lung disorders. In cases of croup it is of inestimable value. Call at the drug store of Dr. A. J. Stoner, Decatur, Ill., and inquire about it. He will furnish you with a trial size bottle for ten cents. Large sizes 50 cents and One Dollar.

Also agent for Prof. Parker's Pleasant Worm Syrup, which never fails.—Pleasant to take and requires no physic. Price 25 cents.
May 1 d&w1m

Meat Market.—Mr. G. W. Young, formerly with Imboden & Son, has bought the meat and vegetable market recently kept by D. J. Block, on Prairie street, where he will keep a full supply of fresh, pickled and smoked meats, of the best quality; also garden truck and vegetables in their season, and will sell as low as any stand in the city. He solicits a continuance of old customers, and solicits new ones to give him a trial.
May 4—d1w

MR. DIOGENES.

This singular man lived in Greece. He was distinguished for his eccentricities, bad manners, and bad disposition. It was his chief business to find fault. For example, he took a lantern one day when the sun was shining brightly and went out to search for an honest man, thereby insinuating that such persons were exceedingly scarce. When Alexander, a distinguished military gentleman, paid him a visit, and inquired what he could do for him, he had the impudence to tell him to "get out of his sunshine." To cap the climax of his oddities, he dressed like a beggar and lived in a tub! He was a sour, crabbed, crusty old bachelor. We infer that he had no wife, first, because history does not mention her, and second, because no woman would take kindly to one of his habits, dress or manners, or aspire to become mistress of his mansion. "There was an old woman who lived in a *shoe*," it is true, but the woman who would live in a *tub*, and especially with such a *companion*, has not been heard from. The misanthropic spirit which possessed this man was doubtless due to the disordered digestion and a biliousness, one of the prominent symptoms of which is a morose, fault-finding disposition. The tongue is heavily coated, giving rise to a bad taste, the appetite is not good, and the patient feels dull, sleepy, or dizzy, and is apt to be fretful. Unfortunately, Mr. Diogenes lived several centuries before Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets were invented, a few doses of which would have relieved him of his "bile," and enabled him to find *scores* of "honest men" without the aid of his lantern. Under their magic influence, combined with that of the Golden Medical Discovery, to cleanse his blood, he might have been led to take a more cheerful view of life, to exchange his tub for a decent habitation, to "spruce up" in personal appearance, and at last have taken a wife to mend his clothes and his manners, both of which were in evident need of repairs, and become the happy sire of little Diogeneses who would have handed down to prosterity the name, not of a cynic philosopher, but of a *cheerful, healthy, happy, virtuous man!!*

Men's Plow Shoes, from $1.75 to $2, at BARBER & BAKER'S.
March 22 d&w1w

Dr. Marshall's Lung Syrup takes the lead of all medicines for coughs, colds, asthma, and pulmonary complaints generally. Call on your druggist and try a bottle of it. Price only 25 cents.
May 3 d&w1w

Ice Cream, to-day, at Wood's Confectionery, 22 Merchant street.
May 22—dtf

For Sale.—A complete lay-out for a huckster, who wishes to attend fairs or picnics, consisting of canvas for a large tent, shelves, counters, etc. Apply at Ashby's, Opera Block.
May 2 d3 w2

A Large Assortment of children's colored shoes just received at
May 2—d&w1w BARBER & BAKER'S.

The Genuine Washington Flannel Suits, guaranteed not to fade, at rock-bottom prices, at B. STINE'S.
April 23 d10t

A Large Lot of new prints, at 6¼ cents, at Linn & Scruggs'.
Dec 12 d&wtf

The Cheapest Hamburg Embroideries yet Offered, just received by LINN & SCRUGGS.
March 10 d&wtf

Hemp Carpets are selling at 15 cents a yard, at
March 9-dtf] LINN & SCRUGGS.

The Handsomest and Cheapest
BLACK SILKS
ever opened in Decatur, at
April 7-dtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

Pasturage.—I have pasturage for 15 or 20 head of cattle. Plenty of water. apr28-d2w. R. H. MERIWEATHER.

Oil Photo Miniatures.—All the materials, glass, brushes and colors; complete outfit, $2.50, at B. F. GUE & SON'S.
April 24-d1w

Library Notice.—The Library will be closed from to-day (27th) until about the middle of May, in order to invoice and clear the rooms. No more books will be loaned till sometime after the 15th of next month. Those now out must be returned by the 10th. The reading room will be kept open as usual, till further notice. By order of the library committee.
Apr27 dtd R. L. EVANS, Librarian.

Wanted—Employment a portion or all of his time as book-keeper, salesman, or otherwise. Address L., Republican office.
March 23 dtf

Wanted, at the Farmer's Store, 37 North Church street, in exchange for cash and goods, all kinds of produce.
April 30—d&w3m E. B. PRATT.

A Handsome line of spring and summer dry goods, in latest styles, just received, at S. EINSTEIN'S.
May 3 d1w

One trial is sufficient to convince the most incredulous of the invaluable and unfailing efficacy of Dr. Marhall's Lung Syrup for curing coughs, consumption, Bronchitis, etc. Price only 25 cents. For sale by all druggists.

Call on Ashby for Window Shades and Fixtures, Cornices and Lambrequins, of the best style and workmanship. apr28-d&wtf

GOLDBURG

Sells Ladies' White Underwear very cheap. He has on hand,

50 Chemise at 50 cents;
50 N. Gowns at $1.00;
Embroideries, from 5c a yard upward.
Hosiery and Gloves, very cheap;
Back Combs;
Ladies' Linen Dresses, handsomely made up, and sold very cheap.
Bortree's Duplex Corset, at $1.25, and other styles in corsets, at correspondingly low prices.
Lace goods, such as the latest styles in collars and bibs, very cheap.
Ties and Ruches, Fichus, and a large stock of Zephyrs, Burlap, Canvas, and other styles, sold very cheap.
April 24-dtf

You can get a pair of ladies' kid side-lace shoes for $2, at
BARBER & BAKER'S.
March 22 d&w1w

TO THE SUFFERING.

Pains in *Back, Head, Heart, Lungs, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Lumbago, Sciatica, Rheumatic Gout, Nervous and Kidney Diseases,* positively cured by DR. FILTER'S RHEUMATIC REMEDY, *Kidney Cordial and Vegetable Liver Pills.* A Physician's specialty 43 years. Never fails when taken as directed.
DR. A. J. STONER, Ag't for Decatur.
Nov. 22, '76 dly

Hams, Shoulders, Bacon, pickled pork, canned and dried beef, by the pound or slice, at 37 North Church-st.
April 30—d&w3m E. B. PRATT.

Go to E. B. Pratt's, 37 North Church street, for your groceries, glass and queensware. [apr30 d&w3m

100 Dozen French Corsets, at 75c and $1.00, just received—the handsomest, best and cheapest corset ever sold.
Oct 19 d tf LINN & SCRUGGS.

OVERMIRE & KAUFMAN,

REAL ESTATE,

Insurance, Loan

—AND—

COLLECTING AGENTS.

MONEY LOANED.

Notes Bought and Sold,
Houses Rented
and Taxes Paid.

Special Attention given to Renting Houses

All business entrusted to us will receive careful and prompt attention.

OFFICE:
OVER THE DECATUR NATIONAL BANK
March 14, 1876—d&wtf

FORTY YEARS BEFORE THE PUBLIC

DR. C. McLANE'S

Celebrated American

WORM SPECIFIC

—OR—

VERMIFUGE.

SYMPTOMS OF WORMS

THE countenance is pale and leaden colored, with occasional flushes, or a circumscribed spot on one or both cheeks; the eyes become dull; the pupil dilate; an azure semicircle runs along the lower eye-lid; the nose is irritated, swells, and sometimes bleeds; a swelling of the upper lip; occasional headache, with humming or throbbing of the ears; an unusual secretion of saliva; slimy or furred tongue; breath very foul, particularly in the morning; appetite variable, sometimes voracious, with a gnawing sensation of the stomach, at others, entirely gone; fleeting pains in the stomach; occasional nausea and vomiting; violent pains throughout the abdomen; bowels irregular, at times costive; stools slimy; not unfrequently tinged with blood; belly swollen and hard; urine turbid; respiration occasionally difficult, and accompanied by hiccough; cough sometimes dry and convulsive; uneasy and disturbed sleep, with grinding of the teeth; temper variable, but generally irritable, &c.

Whenever the above symptoms are found to exist,

DR. C. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE
Will certainly effect a cure.

IT DOES NOT CONTAIN MERCURY in any form; it is an innocent preparation, *not capable of doing the slightest injury to the most tender infant.*

The genuine DR. McLANE'S VERMIFUGE bears the signatures of C. McLANE and FLEMING BROS. on the wrapper.

—:o:—

DR. C. McLANE'S

LIVER PILLS.

These Pills are not recommended as a remedy for "all the ills that flesh is heir to," but in affections of the Liver, and in all Bilious Complaints, Dyspepsia and Sick Headache, or diseases of that character, they stand without a rival.

AGUE AND FEVER.

No better cathartic can be used preparatory to, or after taking Quinine.

As a simple purgative they are unequaled.

BEWARE OF IMITATIONS.

The genuine are never sugar coated.

Each box has a red wax seal on the lid, with the impression DR. McLANE'S LIVER PILLS.

Each wrapper bears the signatures of C. McLANE and FLEMING BROS.

Sold by all respectable druggists and country storekeepers generally.

1877 SPRING 1877

DRY GOODS!

CARPETS!

Oil Cloths, Window Shades, Lace Curtains, Satin, Damask, etc., etc.

LINN & SCRUGGS

Are receiving and have on Sale all the Novelties in British and French

DRESS GOODS,

Embracing every Shade and Grade, and at lower rates than have been offered since the War. Also a New and Elegant Stock of

CARPETS.

As low in price as they can be had anywhere in the United States.

Decatur, March 15, 1877—d&wtf

GOLD! GOLD!

Taken in exchange for

BOOTS AND SHOES

—AT—

L. L. FERRISS'S STORE,

or its equivalent in paper or silver, at One Dollar per pair on BOOTS, and Fifty cts. per pair on SHOES--less than any other store in Decatur is selling them. ONE PRICE.

Large invoices BURT'S SHOES just received.

April 10, 1877—d&wtf **L. L. FERRISS.**

J. H. LEWIS & CO.

HAVE REMOVED

Their Stock of

QUEENSWARE, GLASSWARE,

TOYS AND NOTIONS,

—TO—

OPERA HOUSE BLOCK,

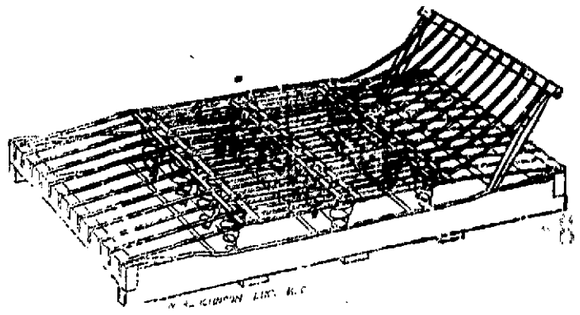
Opposite the Fountain, next door to the furniture store.

Decatur, March 17, 1877—dtf

WHITE SOAP

For the **Laundry** or **Toilet** is **EQUAL** to White Castile Soap, for it is made of **PURE VEGETABLE OILS**, and by the same process, which retains all the natural healing qualities of the oils. It costs **SO MUCH LESS** than the imported article that it is rapidly coming into general household use. The use of Colgate Soaps is condemned by Physicians as liable to produce skin diseases. The **PURITY** of the **White Soap** renders its use perfectly harmless. Made only by PROCTER & GAMBLE, Cincinnati. Sold by all wholesale and retail grocers.

THE KANSAS CITY ADJUSTABLE



SPRING BED BOTTOM!

Having purchased the right to manufacture the above-named **SPRING BED** for Northeastern Illinois, I am prepared to fill all orders promptly. Orders left with R. ASHBY will receive prompt attention.

OFFICE AND MANUFACTORY—Corner Cerro Gordo and Franklin Sts., Decatur, Illinois.

Decatur, Ill., April 7, 1877 -d1m w3m

S. A. UNDERWOOD.

The Daily Republican.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1877.

Daniel Rock and Hanson Peck
vs.
Jacob Peck, Isabella Peck, James K. Peck, George Peck, Samuel W. Rock, Theodore Rock, Joseph G. Rock, Hester I. Proper, Martha J. Oldeman, Mary Estabrook, Clary Archer, Anna Archer, David L. Archer, John W. Gill, Susan Wilcox, Elizabeth Bowen, George F. Wilcox, Martha Wilcox, Hester Ann McNellie, Elizabeth J. Evans, Joseph Gill, Catharine McCarty, Joseph McCarty, Martha McDeavit, Daniel McDeavit, Willis Peck, Jane Afor, David Afor, Jane Rock and Martha J. Ludwick—In Chancery—Petition for Partition

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Jane Rock, Joseph G. Rock, Samuel W. Rock, Theodore F. Rock, Hester I. Proper, Martha J. Oldeman, Mary Estabrook, Clary Archer, Anna Archer, David L. Archer, John W. Gill, Susan Wilcox, Elizabeth Bowen, George F. Wilcox, Martha J. Ludwick, Hester Ann McNellie, Elizabeth J. Evans and Joseph Gill, defendants in the above-named cause, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the said Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the said Jane Rock, Joseph G. Rock, Samuel W. Rock, Theodore F. Rock, Hester I. Proper, Martha J. Oldeman, Mary Estabrook, Clary Archer, Anna Archer, David L. Archer, John W. Gill, Susan Wilcox, Elizabeth Bowen, George F. Wilcox, Martha J. Ludwick, Hester Ann McNellie, Elizabeth J. Evans and Joseph Gill, defendants in the above-named case, that the said complainants, Daniel Rock and Hanson Peck, have heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, Illinois, on the second Monday of the month of May, A. D. 1877, as is by law required, which cause is now pending before said court.

Now, unless you the said Jane Rock, Joseph G. Rock, Samuel W. Rock, Theodore F. Rock, Hester I. Proper, Martha J. Oldeman, Mary Estabrook, Clary Archer, Anna Archer, David L. Archer, John W. Gill, Susan Wilcox, Elizabeth Bowen, George F. Wilcox, Martha J. Ludwick, Hester Ann McNellie, Elizabeth J. Evans and Joseph Gill, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, on the first day of the said next May term thereof, A. D. 1877, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county and State, on the second Monday of the month of May, A. D. 1877, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same and the matters therein stated and set forth will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you in accordance with the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

Decatur, Ill., March 31, 1877.
H. Pasco, Solicitor for Complainants.
April 2-d40d

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the May Term, A.D. 1877.

Hannah Nelson vs. Henry Nelson, In Chancery.

Affidavit that the postoffice address, place of residence or whereabouts of the defendant is not known, and that upon due and diligent inquiry his place of residence, post office address or whereabouts cannot be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois,

Notice is hereby given to the said Henry Nelson, defendant in the above cause, that Hannah Nelson has filed her certain bill of complaint in the said court, on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday of the month of May, A.D. 1877, as is by law required, which cause is now pending in said court. Now unless you, the said Henry Nelson defendant, shall be and appear before said court at the said next May Term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city, county and state aforesaid, on the said second Monday of May, A. D. 1877, and plead answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, that the same and the matters stated therein will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

Apr 2-40d
H. Pasco, Solicitor for complainant.

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, 1877.

James Turner and George W. Maxfield, late partners under the firm name of Turner & Maxfield,
vs.
Edward O. Smith and Eliza J. Smith, Executor and Executrix of the last will and testament of Thomas O. Smith, deceased, Abraham W. Conklin and Ira W. Hatch.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the said Edward O. Smith and Eliza J. Smith, that a writ of attachment in aid of a suit in assumpsit, issued out of the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court, dated the 13th day of November, A. D. 1876, at the suit of James Turner and George W. Maxfield, late partners under the firm name of Turner & Maxfield, and against the estate of said Thomas O. Smith, deceased, for the sum of one thousand dollars, directed to the sheriff of Macon county; which said writ has been returned executed.

Now, therefore, unless you, the said Edward O. Smith and Eliza J. Smith, Executor and Executrix of the estate of the said last will and testament of the said Thomas O. Smith, deceased, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of said Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1877, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you as such executor and executrix, and in favor of said Turner & Maxfield.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

I. A. Buckingham, Plaintiff's Attorney.
Decatur, Ill., April 3, 1877-d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1877.

JOHN A. LEHMAN vs. PATRICK CHRISTY

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendant having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the above-named defendant that the complainant, John A. Lehman, hath heretofore filed his bill of complaint against you the said Patrick Christy, in said court, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons hath issued out of said court thereon against you the said defendant, returnable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, to be held at the Court House, in Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday of May next, 1877, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending in said court. Now, unless you the said defendant, Patrick Christy, shall personally be and appear before the said court on the first day of the said next May term thereof, to be holden at the Court House in Decatur, in said county and State, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

March 31, 1877.
H. Pasco, Complainant's Solicitor.
April 2-d40d

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Lv Danville	8 20 a m	3 05 p m	1 21 a m
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DEPART WEST.

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Fast Line and Mail.......... 10 35 a m
Through Freight and Accom'tion.......... 1 10 a m

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Dec 12—dtf

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Shaw Pease and Amanda H. Pease, his wife, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, by their certain deed of trust bearing date the 22nd day of May, A. D. 1873, duly executed, acknowledged and delivered by them, and duly recorded in book No. 35, of the deed records of Macon county aforesaid, on page No. 331, did convey unto Charles A. Ewing, of the same county and State, the real estate hereinafter described, in trust, to secure the payment of the thirteen certain promissory notes of the said Shaw Pease, bearing even date with the said deed of trust, payable to the order of Zachariah Boughn, for the sum of nine thousand, nine hundred dollars ($9,900), purchase money, principal and interest, and falling due as follows, to-wit: The first six notes for $450,00 each, falling due respectively on the 1st days of March and September, in the years A. D. 1874, 1875, and 1876, the 7th, 10th and 13th notes calling for $2,333.34, $2,333.33, $2,333.34, and falling due respectively on the 1st days of March, in the years A. D. 1877, 1878 and 1879; the 8th and 9th notes calling for $233.33 each, and falling due respectively on the 1st day of September, 1877, and the 1st day of March, 1878, and the 11th and 12th notes for $183.67 each, and falling due respectively on the 1st day of September, 1878, and the 1st day of March 1879—each and all of said notes bearing interest at the rate of ten per cent. per annum from maturity until paid;

And whereas, in and by said deed of trust, it is expressly agreed and provided that, if default be made in the payment of any part of the said principal sum mentioned in said notes, or if default be made in the payment of any of the interest thereon, on the day or days whereon said principal or interest shall become due and payable, the effect shall be to make the entire sum of the principal and the interest specified therein immediately due and payable, without the necessity of any demand of payment, and that thereupon it shall and may be, lawful for the undersigned trustee, on application of the legal holder of said notes, after publishing notice for the sale of said premises in some newspaper published in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, for the term of six months before the day of such sale, to sell the said premises, together with all the right and equity of redemption of the said Shaw Pease and Amanda H. Pease, or their legal representatives, to the highest bidder for cash, at the place and in the manner in said deed of trust specified;

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of a part of the principal sum, of the fifth note of those above described—being a note for the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars; and in the payment of note No. seven (7), above described, for the sum of twenty-three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents; and whereas, by means of said default there is now due and unpaid the entire sum of notes Nos. 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 and 13 aforesaid, and the principal sum of said note, No. 5, less a payment of $175.00, May 13th, 1876, and $150.00 June 20th, 1876, and the interest on said notes according to their tenor and effect; and application has been made to me, as such trustee, by the legal holder of said notes, to sell said premises in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, I, Charles A. Ewing, trustee, as aforesaid, hereby give notice that I will,

On Saturday, the 29th day of September, A. D. 1877,

at two o'clock p. m. of said day, at the main entrance to the Court-house on Water street, in the city of Decatur, Illinois, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, according to the provisions and under the powers of said deed of trust, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The northeast quarter [¼], and the northeast quarter [¼] of the northwest quarter [¼] of section twenty-four, [24] in township seventeen [17] north, and range one [1] west of the third [3d] principal meridian, containing two hundred acres, more or less, together with all the right and equity of redemption of the said Shaw Pease and Amanda H. Pease, or their legal representatives therein.

CHARLES A. EWING, Trustee.
Decatur, Ill., March 28, A. D. 1877—d6mo

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court of said county to the May Term, A. D. 1877—On the Chancery side thereof,

John K. Warren and Bradford K. Durfee, partners as Warren & Durfee,
vs.
Andrew J. Griner and Maggie Griner.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Andrew J. Griner and Maggie Griner, defendants above-named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Andrew J. Griner and Maggie Griner, that the said complainants, John K. Warren and Bradford K. Durfee, partners as Warren & Durfee, heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the Chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1877, as is by law required, which cause is now pending before said court.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

March 20, 1877.
CREA & EWING, Solicitors for Compl'ts
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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, 1877.

David S. Shellabarger, Conservator of the Estate of William H. Boyd,
vs.
William H. Boyd, Eliza Boyd, Joseph F. Boyd, George S. Boyd, Mary E. Myers, William B. Myers, Joseph H. Myers, Annie B. Haskell, Nettie B. Haskell, Frank E. Haskell, William H. Haskell and Lula M. Haskell—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in this State of George S. Boyd, one of the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of said Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said George S. Boyd, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above-named defendants, returnable to the next term of said court, to be held at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1877, as by law required, which said cause is now pending and undetermined in said court, and unless you shall appear on the first day of said term, and plead, answer or demur, a decree will be rendered in accordance with the prayer of the bill of complaint.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM, Compl't's Solicitor.
April 1—d4w

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Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, to the *May Term,* 1877.

Ann Eliza Glasgow vs. Nathaniel McKee Glasgow, In Chancery.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the above named defendant having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said county of Macon,

Notice is hereby given to the said Nathaniel McKee Glasgow, defendant in above cause, that Ann Eliza Glasgow has filed her certain bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the said defendant, returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, on the second Monday of the month of May, A. D. 1877, as is by law required, which cause is now pending before said court. Now unless you, the said Nathaniel McKee Glasgow, defendant, shall be and appear before said court at the said next May term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city, county and state aforesaid, on the said second Monday of May, A. D. 1877, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint that the same and the matter stated therein will be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you, according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN,
Clerk of said Court.

Decatur, Ills., March 31, 1877.
H. Pasco, Complainant's Solicitor.
April 2-d40d

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court of Macon county, May Term, A. D. 1877.

LUCIA F. ROSEL vs. ISAAC F. ROSEL.

IN CHANCERY.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Isaac F. Rosel, the above-named defendant, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Isaac F. Rosel, that the said complainant, Lucia F. Rosel, has filed her bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against you the said Isaac F. Rosel, directed to the sheriff of said county, and returnable on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1877, to the office of the clerk of said court as by law required. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given to you the said Isaac F. Rosel, that unless you shall be and appear at the said term of said court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1877, at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county of Macon, and then and there plead, answer or demur to said complainant's bill of complaint, the matters and things therein alleged will be taken as confessed by you, and a decree will be entered against you according to the prayer of said bill

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

A. B. BUNN and J. H. YARNELL, Solicitors for Complainant
Decatur, Ill., April 3, 1877—d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1877.

John A. Lehman vs. Patrick O'Mara, the Decatur Rolling Mill Company, and Ira Harris, jr.—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of the above-named defendants, and each of them, having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, notice is hereby given to the above named defendants, and each of them, that the complainant, John A. Lehman, hath heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court against you the said defendants, and each of you, on the chancery side thereof, that a summons has been issued out of said court thereon against you the said defendants, returnable on the first day of the next term of the Circuit Court of said Macon county, to be held at the Court House in Decatur, in said county of Macon on the second Monday of May next, 1877, as is by law required, and that said cause is still pending in said court. Now, unless you the said defendants, Patrick O'Mara, the Decatur Rolling Company and Ira Harris, Junior, shall personally be and appear before the said court on the first day of the next May term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county and state, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters and things therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed against you, and a decree entered according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

Decatur, Ill., March 31, 1877.
H. PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor.
April 2-d40d

TRUSTEE'S SALE.

WHEREAS, Amos T. Hickman, of the county of Macon and State of Illinois, by his certain deed of trust, bearing date the eighth day of May, A. D. 1875, duly executed, acknowledged and delivered by him; and duly recorded in book No. 35 of the deed records of said county, on page No. 500, did convey unto Hugh Crea, of the county aforesaid, the real estate hereinafter described in trust, to secure the payment of his one certain promissory note of even date with said deed, payable to Christopher Brown, or order, one year after date, for six hundred dollars, value received, with interest at 10 per cent, per annum;

And whereas, in and by said deed of trust it is expressly agreed and provided, that if default be made in the payment of any part of the said principal sum mentioned in said note, or if default be made in the payment of any of the interest thereon, on the day or days whereon said principal or interest shall become due and payable, the effect shall be to make the entire sum of the principal and the interest specified therein immediately due and payable, without the necessity of any demand of payment; and that on application of the legal holder of the said promissory note, it should and might be lawful for the said trustee, his attorney or successor in trust, after publishing notice for the sale of said premises *in some newspaper* published in the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, for the term of sixty days before the day of such sale, to sell the said premises, together with all the *right* and *equity* of redemption of the said Amos T. Hickman, or his legal representatives, at public auction, at the door of the west entrance to the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, to the highest bidder for cash, at the time mentioned in the notice aforesaid, in the manner in said deed of trust specified;

And whereas, default has been made in the payment of the principal sum in said *note specified,* and a portion of the interest thereon; and whereas, by means of said default there is now due and unpaid upon said note the entire sum of six hundred *dollars,* and the interest *thereon, according* to its tenor and effect, from May 31st, 1876, to date; and whereas, application has been made to me, as such trustee, by the legal holder of said note, to sell said premises in accordance with the provisions of said deed of trust;

Now, therefore, I, Hugh Crea, trustee as aforesaid, hereby give notice that on

SATURDAY, THE 23rd DAY OF JUNE, A. D. 1877,

at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the door of the west entrance to the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, according to the provisions and under the powers of said deed of trust, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The northeast quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-one (21), township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the third (3d) P. M.; also the northwest quarter (¼) of the northeast quarter (¼) of the same section, town and range; also lot fifteen (15), in section sixteen (16) of the same town and range; also the southwest quarter (¼) of the southwest quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section twenty-three (23) of the same town and range, and the southeast quarter (¼) of the southeast quarter (¼) of the northwest quarter (¼) of section thirty-three (33) of the same town and range, with all the right and equity of redemption of the said Amos T. Hickman, or his legal representatives therein.

HUGH CREA, Trustee.
Decatur, Ill., April 21st, 1877—d60d

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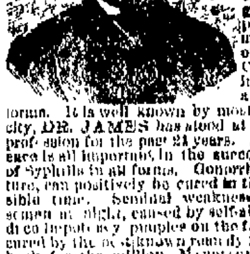

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CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A. D. 1877.

John P. Joy vs. Henry Troxel, John K. Warren, Bradford K. Durfee and Mary Froman.—In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of *Henry Troxel* and John K. Warren, defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said court, notice is hereby given to said defendants that said complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that summons has issued against them, returnable into said court, at the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1877, which suit is now pending and undetermined in said court.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

March 30, 1877—d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
MACON COUNTY, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, A. D. 1877.

MARY F. BOOTH vs. ELIJAH BOOTH.

IN CHANCERY—DIVORCE.

Affidavit of the non-residence of the said Elijah Booth having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the said Circuit Court of Macon county,

NOTICE is hereby given to the said Elijah Booth, defendant, that the said complainant, Mary F. Booth, has filed her certain petition against him the said Elijah Booth, for divorce in said court for said term, on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons has issued out of said court at the suit of the said Mary F. Booth, against you the said Elijah Booth, returnable on the first day of said term of said court, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county and State of Illinois, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1877, which cause is now pending in said court.

Now, therefore, if you the said Elijah Booth, shall not appear at the time and place aforesaid and plead, answer or demur to the petition of the said Mary F. Booth, then the same, and the matters and things therein set forth, shall be taken as confessed and a decree entered against you accordingly.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

C. C. McCOMAS, Attorney for Compl't.
March 31, 1877--d4w

A. C. CORNMAN,

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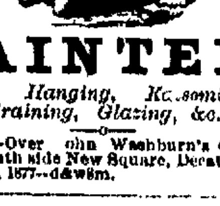

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Dec. 9, 1876—d&wtf

Chancery Notice.

State of Illinois, Macon county, ss. Circuit Court of Macon county, May Term, A. D. 1877. Abdiel L. Calkins vs. Augusta Calkins. In Chancery.

AFFIDAVIT OF THE NON-RESIDENCE of Augusta Calkins, defendant above named, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said Augusta Calkins, that the complainant heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said Augusta Calkins, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday in the month of May (1877) next, as is by law required; which cause is now pending and undetermined.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, Solicitors for Complainant.
Decatur, Ill., April 3, 1877--d40d

Attachment Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss.
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court to the May Term, 1877.

Jesse L. Fenton and Hamilton W. Fenton, partners, etc., vs. Joseph W. Harris—Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the said Joseph W. Harris, that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, dated the 20th day of April, A. D. 1877, at the suit of Jesse L. Fenton and Hamilton W. Fenton, partners, etc., and against the estate of Joseph W. Harris for the sum of fifty-eight dollars and forty-five cents, directed to the Sheriff of Macon county to execute, which writ has been returned executed. Now therefore, unless you the said Joseph W. Harris, shall personally be and appear before the said Circuit Court of Macon county, on or before the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, on the second Monday of May, A. D. 1877, give special bail and plead to the said plaintiff's cause of action, judgment will be entered against you, and in favor of the said Jesse L. Fenton and Hamilton W. Fenton, partners, etc., and so much of the property attached as may be necessary to satisfy the said claim will be sold to satisfy the same.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

WM. T. USREY, Plaintiff's Attorney.
April 20, 1877—d4w